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## Alma Grain & Lumber Co.

# JOB PRINTING IS OUR SPECIALTY

## LOCAL NEWS

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Ellis Hopkins was an Ithaca visitor Thursday evening.

Frank Boyer of Elwell was in Alma on business Friday.

E. C. Crandell made a business trip to Saginaw Friday.

Mrs. Clint Nelson spent Tuesday in Elwell with relatives.

C. Goldsmith of Edmore, was in Alma on business Friday.

Wm. Fowler of Sumner was in Alma on business Wednesday.

Ray Ellison of Riverdale was in Alma on business Tuesday.

Lloyd Howell of Middleton was in town Thursday on business.

Sumner Hoxie of Elm Hall was in Alma on business Friday.

Mrs. Jack Moblo of Riverdale was an Alma visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Blanch Richard spent the past week with relatives in Flint.

C. M. Newton spent Sunday in Middleton with his wife and family.

Charley Hordale of Riverdale was the guest of Justin Cash Friday.

Orey Johnson of Elm Hall transacted business in Alma Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Voght spent Sunday in Elwell with friends.

Dr. F. R. McNabb made a professional call to Riverdale Tuesday.

Harry Willard and L. Ewing transacted business in Saginaw Thursday.

Steven Wodard and son of Vestaburg were in Alma on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Harvey were over Sunday guests of relatives at Ferris Center.

For Rent—Furnished rooms for light house keeping. 622 W. Mechanic St. 1883-19.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Metcalf of Jackson, are spending a few days in Alma with friends.

Miss Virginia Mulvey, who has been spending the winter in Florida, returned to Alma Friday.

Mr. John Genger returned Sunday evening from a week's visit with friends in Ferris Center.

Albert Maier returned from Grand Lodge, Tuesday afternoon after spending the week end with his parents.

The Presbyterian Aid Society will meet with Mrs. W. A. Bahke, 608 State St., Tuesday afternoon, April 20.

Howard Handley spent Saturday and Sunday in Ithaca the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Mary Thomas and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ward autotied to Saginaw Thursday evening and attended the play "The New Henriette".

A. M. Fredericks is spending a few weeks at McBain running the creamery station at that place for Swift & Co.

Miss Ruth Halse, Misses Axie and Helen Langin, were over Sunday guests of Miss Geneva LaMay of Riverdale.

Harry and Thelma Stevens, who attend Alma High School, spent Saturday and Sunday in Breckenridge with their parents.

Len Munn returned Wednesday from Elsie where he has been spending a few days with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wilcoxen of Petoskey visited the latter's sister, Mrs. C. L. Wood, for a few days during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barnhart of Cadillac spent the latter part of last week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Stuckey.

Ward Hodge was in Middleton last Wednesday evening playing in the Middleton Orchestra at a banquet given by the Church of Christ.

John Sullivan, Jake Helman, Isaac Russell and Jesse Fuller were in Ithaca Monday and Tuesday attending the meetings of the county board of supervisors.

Geo. Moore returned from a business trip to Chicago Tuesday.

Miss Lena Beverly spent the week end with her aunt in Saginaw.

Mrs. Milton Holmes has returned to her brother who lives in Pontiac.

Mrs. Vannorman and son Henry are spending a few days with friends in New Haven.

Clyde Creaser who is a senior at the University of Michigan is visiting with his parents in this city this week.

Miss Rose Judge returned to her school Saturday after spending the Easter vacation with her parents.

Mrs. Sylvia Gaffney will move into the house recently vacated by Jothan Allen and which she bought several weeks ago.

Dr. Blaisdell of the college attended the meeting of the Synod of the Presbyterian church in Bay City Monday and Tuesday.

Jothan Allen and family have moved from their Woodworth Ave. home to their new home on State St. which was formerly the Miller home.

Board Wanted—Gentleman desires room and board in refined family, warm room and bath desired. State full particulars; address A1, Record office.

Reginald McClinton returned from Ann Arbor Saturday, where he is attending the University and will spend the week with his grandmother, Mrs. Sullivan.

Brick for the new bank building has arrived and construction work has already begun. A new concrete mixer has been brought here by the contractors.

A beautiful vesper service was held in the college chapel, Sunday afternoon under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. of the college. Talks were given by students and faculty.

Fred Johnson, graduate of the college last year and one of the finest football men who has ever played for the Presbyterian school, has been in the city for the past week visiting his old friends. He has been working in Cadillac since graduation.

A meeting of the faculty club at the college was held at the home of Mrs. Francis King Monday evening. Nearly all the members of the college faculty were present.

Rev. William A. Mason went to Bay City Monday morning to attend the meeting of the Presbyterian Synod of Saginaw which was held Monday and Tuesday.

R. B. Wagner left Monday morning for Johnson City, Tennessee where he will begin to let contracts for the construction of the new gas plant in that city.

Having accepted a position with the Grand Union Tea Co. of Saginaw, I will call on the trade as soon as possible. I solicit the patronage of all old customers and as many new ones as possible. Perry Banghart.

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An explosion in a gasoline stove in White and Ludy's second hand store Tuesday afternoon caused quite a commotion. The fire team was called out while Homer Dunham, progressive democratic candidate for the city clerkship for several years, and a few others dragged the hose cart to the scene of the fire. No damage was done.

The Mt. Pleasant Indian baseball team met the local college on Davis Field, Tuesday afternoon and were defeated by the score of 13 to 0 in a well played game, considering the time of season in which it was played. Goodrich, Wood and Hyde starred with the bat for Alma. French and E. Johnson pitched good ball and were never in much danger of being scored on.

"Chief" Nevitt for the past four years the leading catcher in the South Michigan League, played third base for the Indians and pulled off some clever holding.

## COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Alma Mich.

April 8, 1915

The common council of the city of Alma, Michigan, met in session at council rooms in said city on Thursday, April 8, 1915, as provided by Statute. The council was called to order by the Mayor, Hon. Albert P. Cook. Those present were Aids. Rowland, McConkey, Willard, Ogden, Race and Kehn. There being a quorum present the council was declared to be in session.

On motion of Ald. Ogden, supported by Ald. Rowland, the bill of R. V. Beshgetoor for \$87.90 for fire alarm system was allowed and the clerk was instructed to issue order for the same. The vote was as follows: yeas, Aids. Rowland, McConkey, Willard, Race, Ogden and Kehn: nays, none.

Ald. Rowland presented the following resolution and moved its adoption supported by Ald. Race. "Whereas at the annual election held in the city of Alma, Mich. on Monday the fifth day of April A. D. 1915 as is shown by the returns of the election board inspector of each respective ward in said city, the following number of votes were given for each respective office in said city and were given to the following persons, to-wit: The whole number of votes given for the office of Mayor was five hundred eighty (580) of which two hundred twelve (212) were given to Albert P. Cook and three hundred sixty eight (368) were given to Ira N. Brainerd. The whole number of votes given to the office of City Clerk was five hundred sixty (560) of which three hundred sixty (360) were given for Delos W. Adams and two hundred ten (210) were given for Homer M. Dunham. The whole number of votes given for the office of Treasurer was five hundred seventy two (572) of which two hundred eighty (280) were given for John Martin Montigel and two hundred ninety two (292) were given for Charles R. Murphy. The whole number of votes given for the office of Justice of Peace, full term, was five hundred sixty two (562) of which three hundred nineteen (319) were given for Henry M. Sandell and two hundred forty three (243) were given for D. Lloyd Johnson. "And whereas it is further shown by the returns of the board of election inspector of each respective ward in said city that the following persons received a majority of all the votes given in that ward for the office of Supervisor, Alderman for two terms, Alderman for one term and constable in the first ward: That in the first ward Jesse E. Fuller received the largest number of votes given for the office of Supervisor. And that John Konertzer received the largest number of votes given for the office of Alderman for two years and that Frank L. McConkey received the largest number of votes given for the office of Alderman for one year and that Oscar Vibber received the largest number of votes given for the office of constable. That in the second ward Isaac Russell received the largest number of votes given for the office of Supervisor and that Bert Eckert received the largest number of votes given for the office of Alderman for two years, and that George A. Brown received the largest number of votes given for the office of constable. That in the third ward John D. Sullivan received the largest number of votes given for the office of Supervisor and that Charles O. Ward received the largest number of votes given for the office of Alderman for two years, and that George A. Brown received the largest number of votes given for the office of constable. That in the fourth ward Jacob D. Helman received the largest number of votes given for the office of Supervisor and that Edward W. Lake received the largest number of votes given for the office of Alderman for two years, and that Frank G. Bennett received the largest number of votes given for the office of constable. And whereas Ira N. Brainerd received the largest number of votes given for the office of Mayor; Delos W. Adams received the largest number of votes given for the office of City Clerk; Charles R. Murphy received the largest number of votes given for the office of Treasurer and Henry M. Sandell received the largest number of votes given for office of Justice of Peace for full term.

"Therefore be it: Resolved, by the common council of the city of Alma, Mich. now in session that the said common council do hereby certify and determine that the following named persons below were duly elected and are hereby declared the city officers of the city of Alma, Mich. for the several terms described by law at the ninth annual election of said city held on, Monday, the fifth day of April, A. D. 1915.

Mayor—Ira N. Brainerd

Clerk—Delos W. Adams

Treasurer—Charles R. Murphy

Justice of Peace (full term)—Henry M. Sandell

### FIRST WARD

Supervisor—Jesse E. Fuller

Alderman for two years—John Konertzer

Alderman for one year—Frank L. McConkey

Constable—Oscar Vibber

### SECOND WARD

Supervisor—Isaac Russell

Alderman for two years—Bert Eckert

Constable—George Willard

### THIRD WARD

Supervisor—John D. Sullivan

Alderman for two years—Charles O. Ward

Constable—George Brown

### FOURTH WARD

Supervisor—Jacob Helman

Alderman—Edward Lake

Constable—Frank G. Bennett

Dated, Alma, Mich., April 8, 1915.

The resolution was carried as follows: yeas, Aids. Rowland, McConkey, Willard, Race, Ogden, and Kehn.

On motion of Ald. Ogden, supported by Ald. Rowland the council adjourned.

A. P. Cook, Mayor

D. W. Adams, City Clerk.

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